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DETAILED ACTION

Receipt is acknowledged of the Applicant's Remarks and Amended Claims filed on 2/27/2006.

Response to Amendment

The reply filed on 2/27/2006 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): As examined, the instant claims 1-3, 6-11, 14-17 were directed to a composition comprising at least one NF-KB decoy and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. As amended, however, the claims are directed to a method of treating asthma comprising an NF-KB decoy and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. Additionally, as set forth in the instant amended claims 2 and 18, the claims recite a specific sequence ID. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since applicant has received an action on the merits for the originally presented invention, this invention has been constructively elected by original presentation for prosecution on the merits. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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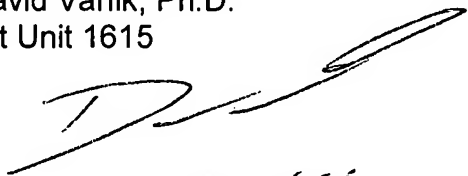
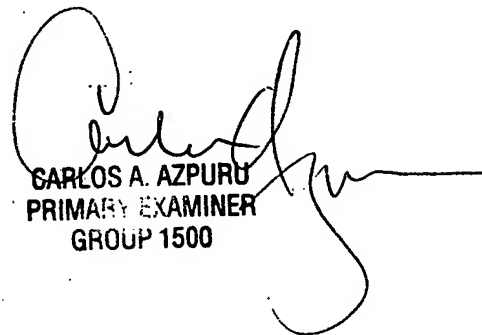
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